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THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS CERTIFIES THE MAY 7, 2019 PRIMARY ELECTION

(Cleveland) – The Board of Elections has certified the results of the May 7, 2019 Election.

The results did not change the outcome of any candidate contests or issue decisions.

However the official results have triggered an automatic recount of Parma's Issue 10 because the proposal failed by less than one-half of one percent. Issue 10 is the proposal to overturn the City of Parma's ban on Pit Bull dogs.

Issue 10 failed by 21 votes according to the unofficial results. With the addition of 65 provisional ballots and 15 vote-by-mail ballots that arrived after Election Day the results were narrowed to a 14 vote margin:

5,921 (49.94) in favor of the repeal 5,935 (50.06) opposed to the repeal

The recount will be scheduled for May 29th. Additional re-count information can be found on the Board's website: www.443VOTE.com and http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/3515

